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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re PATENT APPLICATION of:
VAN DER NET et al.

Confirmation Number: 4722

Application No.: 10/623,180

Group Art Unit: 2851

Filed: July 21, 2003

Examiner: Fuller, Rodney Evan

Title: LITHOGRAPHIC PROJECTION APPARATUS, GAS PURGING METHOD AND
DEVICE MANUFACTURING METHOD AND PURGE GAS SUPPLY SYSTEM

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

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Sir:

In reply to the Office Action dated February 9, 2006, the period for reply being extended by the Petition for Two-Month Extension of Time filed herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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